

AMMOSELINUM BUTLERI (UMBELLIFERAE), NEW TO NORTH CAROLINA—In early April of 1975 I collected an unfamiliar plant of the Umbelliferae. With the help of Dr. J. R. Massey, Curator of the University of North Carolina Herbarium, it was identified as *Ammoselinum butleri* (Engelm.) Coult. & Rose and represents a new addition to the flora of North Carolina. The previous range of this species is given by Mathias and Constance (1944-45) as Arkansas and Oklahoma to Texas. Correll and Johnston (1970) extended the range southward to Nuevo Leon and west to New Mexico.

In North Carolina the plant was found growing on a weed covered slope with several other plants which it superficially resembles: *Alchemilla microcarpa* Boiss. & Reut., *Soliva pterosperma* (Juss.) Less. and *Coronopus didymus* (L.) Smith.

To be certain that *Ammoselinum* was truly established the locality was revisited in the spring of 1976 by Emily Wood and it was found that the plants were not only as abundant as in the previous year but had in fact spread beyond their original boundaries.

Collection data for the *Ammoselinum* are as follows: Orange County, North Carolina. University of North Carolina campus, Chapel Hill. On weed-covered slope south of Kenan Stadium. Flowers white. Plants prostrate or reclining on other vegetation. *D. E. Boufford 15932*, 2 April 1975; Lawn behind Kenan Stadium, adjacent to Ram's Head Parking Lot. *E. W. Wood 2901*, 28 March 1976. Vouchers have been deposited at North Carolina University and duplicates will be distributed through the North Carolina University exchange program.—*David E. Boufford, Biology Department, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri, 63130.*

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ADDITIONS TO THE LOUISIANA FLORA—During the late 1960's and early 1970's Thieret published several lists of additions to the Louisiana flora culminating in 1972 with a check-list of vascular plants through the monocots. Reported additions have been scanty since then except for Allen's addition of 19 grasses in 1974. The following note adds 16 new monocots, one definite and two tentative dicots. Lack of a complete check-list is a serious handicap to Louisiana collectors particularly those in the poorly covered northwestern section of the state.

Vouchers on all plants are in the herbarium of Louisiana State University